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**SUBJECT:** Adjustment of Special Minimum Rates and Rate Ranges  
Established Under 5 U.S.C. 5303 to Reflect the General  
Pay Increase

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Heads of Departments and Independent Establishments:

1. Under Section 5303 of Title 5, United States Code, the Office of Personnel Management has determined that the pay of employees covered by special rate schedules shall be increased by an amount equivalent to the general increase in General Schedule pay made under Executive Order 12248. Attachment I to this letter shows the adjusted special schedules, which are effective the same date as the general pay increase.

2. The pay of employees on the rolls and covered by special rates will be converted to the new special rate ranges in accordance with Section 530.307(b) of OPM's regulations. The applicable part of the section reads as follows:

(b) When an employee was receiving a special rate immediately before the effective date of a statutory pay increase, he shall receive on that effective date the rate of basic pay for; (1) the numerical rank in the new special rate range for his grade or level that corresponds with the numerical rank of the special rate he was receiving immediately before that effective date; . . . .

To illustrate the effect of 530.307(b), the rate of adjustment for Veterinarian, GS-701-9, is used: an employee in the third step rate of the GS-9 special rate range immediately before the effective date will receive pay at the third step of the new special rate range on the effective date, and his salary will be increased from \$20,443 to \$22,305 as of the first pay period that begins on or after October 1, 1980.

3. The pay of employees receiving a "retained special rate" above step 10 as the result of a special rate range having been reduced or terminated, will be adjusted under one of two separate provisions, depending on when the reduction or termination of the special rate range was effected.

If the special rate range was reduced or terminated before the first day of the first pay period beginning on or after January 11, 1979 (the effective date of the grade and pay retention provisions of the Civil Service Reform Act of 1978), the employee's rate above step 10 will be adjusted by the amount of the increase made in step 10 of the rate range. (In the instance that the special rate range was reduced, but not terminated, step 10 of the special rate range is used for this purpose.)

If the special rate range was reduced or terminated on or after the first day of the first pay period beginning on or after January 11, 1979, Section 5363 of Title 5, United States Code, applies. In this case, the employee's rate above step 10 will be increased by half the increase made in step 10 of the rate range. (In the instance that the special rate range was reduced, but not terminated, step 10 of the special rate range is used for this purpose.) If this one-half adjustment would result in an employee's rate falling between step 9 and step 10 of the rate range, he shall receive the rate for step 10, and pay retention ceases to apply. A number of authorized special rates were reduced or terminated after the grade and pay retention provisions of the Civil Service Reform Act became effective. All of these reductions or terminations to date were made by FPM Letter 530-213 and FPM Letter 530-223.

**Inquiries:** Office of Allowances and Special Rates (202) 632-8742 or ext. 28742

**Code:** 530, Pay Rates and Systems (General)

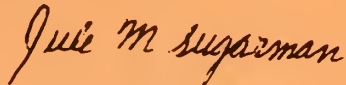
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For employees receiving a retained special rate above step 10, process the action as "894," pay adjustment, and enter the appropriate pay rate determinant code. When the employee's pay rate is no longer above step 10, the pay rate determinant code is "0."

4. One authorization, GS-602 Medical Officer Series, is affected by the ceiling on General Schedule pay. Under Public Law 96-369, October 1, 1980, this ceiling is \$50,112.50 for the new special and General Schedule rates.

5. Additional FPM Letters will be published soon as a result of the annual review of special salary rates to further adjust many of the special schedules in this FPM Letter. We intend to publish changes as they are approved rather than waiting until all authorizations are approved. This means that some of the special rates now authorized could be reduced or cancelled as a result of the annual review. A reduction or cancellation could be made either to all grades in an authorization or to only some of the grades in an authorization. When special rates are reduced or terminated, employees on the rolls will retain their existing rates of pay. Agencies are cautioned not to use the rates set forth in the attachment to this FPM Letter when making commitments for future actions such as appointments or promotions.

By direction of the Director:



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Attachment s

The tables in this attachment show the special pay rates established by the Office of Personnel Management under Section 5303 of Title 5, United States Code. Each table identifies (1) specific occupational series coverage by series code and title, (2) the geographic coverage, (3) grade or grade levels covered, (4) the special minimum rate identified as "1st Step Rate", (5) the step of the general schedule that corresponds to the special minimum rate, identified as GSS, (6) the special maximum rate, identified as "10th Step Rate", (7) the amount of the within-grade increase, and (8) the effective date.

The full range of special rates for each grade can be prepared by successively adding the amount of the within-grade increase, as shown for each grade, beginning with the special rate, to produce a rate for each step up to the special maximum rate. To illustrate, Medical Officer, GS-602-11, is used:

The special minimum (i.e., 1st step rate) is \$29,236, the maximum (i.e., 10th step rate) is \$35,986, and the amount of the within-grade increase is \$750.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
\$29,236	\$29,986	\$30,736	\$31,486	\$32,236	\$32,986	\$33,736	\$34,486	\$35,236	\$35,986

This procedure is to be followed in preparing a full schedule of special rates for each occupation and grade level listed in Attachment 1. As an aid in preparing the various schedules, Attachment 2 contains a comprehensive table which shows the correct dollar amount for each possible step for each GS grade which may be used in the various special schedules. By locating the special minimum rate and special maximum rate on this table, the full range of the authorized rates is readily identified.

When cited, SMSA means the Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area as defined by the Office of Management and Budget.



The special rates authorizations in this attachment are arranged in eleven groups. The first ten are OPM Regions in which authorizations exist. The eleventh group is the Nationwide and Worldwide authorizations. Following is the list of regions in the order presented in Attachment #1. Addresses are provided for your convenience.

U.S. Office of Personnel Management Regions

- I. New England Region, John W. McCormack, Post Office and Courthouse Building, Boston, MA 02109 (formerly Boston Region).
- II. Eastern Region, New Federal Building, 26 Federal Plaza, New York, NY 10007 (formerly New York Region).
- III. Mid-Atlantic Region, William J. Green, Jr., Federal Building, 600 Arch Street, Philadelphia, PA 19106 (formerly Philadelphia Region).
- IV. Southeast Region, Richard B. Russell, Federal Building, 75 Spring Street, S.W., Atlanta, GA 30303 (formerly Atlanta Region).
- V. Great Lakes Region, John C. Kluczynski, Federal Building, 29th Floor, 230 South Dearborn Street, Chicago, IL 60604 (formerly Chicago Region).
- VI. Southwest Region, 1100 Commerce Street, Dallas TX 75242 (formerly Dallas Region).
- VII. Mid-Continent Region, 1256 Federal Bulding, 1520 Market Street, St. Louis, MO 63103 (formerly St. Louis Region).
- VIII. Rocky Mountain Region, Building 20, Denver Federal Center, Denver, CO 80225 (formerly Denver Region).
- IX. Western Region, 525 Market Street, 23rd Floor, San Francisco, CA 94105 (formerly San Francisco Region).
- X. Northwest Region, Federal Building, 26th Floor, 915 Second Avenue, Seattle, WA 98174 (formerly Seattle Region).
- XI. Nationwide and Worldwide Authorizations.

## I. NEW ENGLAND REGION

OCCUPATIONAL SERIES	GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE	GRADE	1ST STEP		GSS	10TH STEP		WITHIN GRADE INCREASE	EFFECTIVE DATE & TABLE NUMBER
			RATE	RATE		RATE	RATE		
GS-610, Nurse Series	Boston, MA SMSA	GS-4	\$13,153	\$16,438	7	\$16,438	365		October 1, 1980
		GS-5	13,902	17,583	5	17,583	409		#305
GS-621, Licensed Practical Nurse	Newington, CT	GS-3	11,722	14,656	7	14,656	326		October 1, 1980
		GS-4	12,423	15,708	5	15,708	365		#463
		GS-5	13,493	17,174	4	17,174	409		NOTE: Table no. changed from 462
GS-621, Licensed Practical Nurse	West Haven, CT	GS-3	10,418	13,352	3	13,352	326		October 1, 1980
		GS-4	11,328	14,613	2	14,613	365		#342
GS-621, Licensed Practical Nurse	Boston, MA SMSA	GS-3	11,070	14,004	5	14,004	326		October 1, 1980
		GS-4	11,693	14,978	3	14,978	365		#343
GS-648, Therapeutic Radiologic Technologist Series	Boston, MA SMSA	GS-4	14,248	17,533	10	17,533	365		October 1, 1980
		GS-5	15,129	18,810	8	18,810	409		
		GS-6	15,952	20,056	6	20,056	456		#355
		GS-7	16,711	21,265	4	21,265	506		
		GS-8	17,387	22,436	2	22,436	661		

## II. EASTERN REGION

OCCUPATIONAL SERIES	GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE	GRADE	1ST STEP RATE	GSS	10TH STEP RATE	WITHIN GRADE INCREASE	EFFECTIVE DATE & TABLE NUMBER
GS-085, Guard Series	Seneca Army Depot, NY	GS-4	\$13,518	8	\$16,803	365	October 1, 1980
		GS-5	14,311	6	17,992	409	
		GS-6	15,040	4	19,144	456	#018
		GS-7	15,699	2	20,253	506	
GS-601, Nuclear Medicine Technologist	New York City, NY	GS-5	14,311	6	17,992	409	October 1, 1980
		GS-7	16,711	4	21,265	506	#383
GS-610, Nurse (Limited to positions titled Nurse and Clinical Nurse)	New York City, NY	GS-4	14,248	10	17,533	365	October 1, 1980
		GS-5	15,947	10	19,628	409	#296
		GS-7	17,217	5	21,771	506	
GS-621, Licensed Practical Nurse	New York City and Westchester County, NY	GS-3	11,396	6	14,330	326	October 1, 1980
		GS-4	12,058	4	15,343	365	#334
		GS-5	12,675	2	16,356	409	
GS-621, Licensed Practical Nurse	Suffolk County, NY	GS-3	11,722	7	14,656	326	October 1, 1980
		GS-4	12,788	6	16,073	365	#364
		GS-5	13,493	4	17,174	409	
		GS-6	14,128	2	18,232	456	
GS-631, Occupational Therapist Series	New York City and Suffolk County, NY	GS-6	15,040	4	19,144	456	October 1, 1980
		GS-7	16,205	3	20,759	506	#310
GS-633, Physical Therapist Series		GS-8	17,387	2	22,436	561	
GS-642, Nuclear Medicine Technician Series	New York City, NY	GS-4	12,058	4	15,343	365	October 1, 1980
		GS-5	13,493	4	17,174	409	#378
		GS-6	14,584	3	18,688	456	
		GS-7	15,699	2	20,253	506	
GS-644, Medical Technologist Series	New York City, NY	GS-5	14,311	6	17,992	409	October 1, 1980
		GS-7	15,699	2	20,253	506	#331

OCCUPATIONAL SERIES	GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE	GRADE	1ST STEP RATE	GSS	10TH STEP RATE	WITHIN GRADE INCREASE	EFFECTIVE DATE & TABLE NUMBER
GS-647, Diagnostic Radiologic Technologist Series	New York City, NY	GS-5	\$14,311	6	\$17,992	409	October 1, 1980
		GS-6	15,496	5	19,600	456	#320
		GS-7	16,711	4	21,265	506	
		GS-8	17,387	2	22,436	561	
GS-647, Diagnostic Radiologic Technologist Series	Suffolk County, NY	GS-4	12,423	5	15,708	365	October 1, 1980
		GS-5	13,493	4	17,174	409	#346
		GS-6	14,584	3	18,688	456	#346
		GS-7	15,699	2	20,253	506	
GS-648, Therapeutic Radiologic Technologist Series	New York City, NY	GS-5	13,902	5	17,583	409	October 1, 1980
		GS-6	15,040	4	19,144	456	#392
		GS-7	16,205	3	20,759	506	#344
GS-649, Inhalation Therapy Technician Series	New York City, NY	GS-4	12,423	5	15,708	365	
		GS-5	13,493	4	17,174	409	
		GS-6	14,584	3	18,688	456	
GS-649, Inhalation Therapy Technician Series	Suffolk County, NY	GS-4	12,423	5	15,708	365	October 1, 1980
		GS-5	13,493	4	16,765	409	#365
		GS-6	14,584	3	18,688	456	#384
GS-699, Echocardiograph Technician	New York City, NY	GS-5	14,720	7	18,401	409	
		GS-6	15,952	6	20,056	456	
		GS-7	17,217	5	21,771	506	



## III. MID-ATLANTIC REGION

OCCUPATIONAL SERIES	GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE	GRADE	1ST STEP RATE	GSS	10TH STEP RATE	WITHIN GRADE INCREASE	EFFECTIVE DATE & TABLE NUMBER
GS-085, Guard Series	Aberdeen Proving Grounds, MD	GS-3	\$12,374	9	\$15,308	326	October 1, 1980
		GS-4	13,153	7	16,438	365	#016
		GS-5	14,311	6	17,992	409	
		GS-6	15,040	4	19,144	456	
		GS-7	15,699	2	20,253	506	
GS-610, Nurse Series	Baltimore, MD SMSA	GS-4	13,518	8	16,803	365	October 1, 1980
		GS-5	14,720	7	18,401	409	#292
		GS-7	15,699	2	20,253	506	
GS-610, Nurse Series	Washington, DC SMSA, including the DC Government's Children's Center, Laurel, Maryland, and U.S. Marine Corps Base, Quantico, Virginia	GS-4	13,518	8	16,803	365	October 1, 1980
		GS-5	14,311	6	17,992	409	#304
GS-642, Nuclear Medicine Technician Series	Washington, DC SMSA	GS-4	12,423	5	15,708	365	October 1, 1980
		GS-5	13,902	5	17,583	409	#359
		GS-6	14,584	3	18,688	456	
GS-644, Medical Technologist Series	Washington, DC SMSA	GS-5	13,493	4	17,174	409	October 1, 1980 #318
GS-648, Therapeutic Radiologic Technologist Series	Washington, DC SMSA	GS-4	13,883	9	17,168	365	October 1, 1980
		GS-5	14,720	7	18,401	409	#360
		GS-6	15,496	5	19,600	456	
		GS-7	16,711	4	21,265	506	
		GS-8	17,948	3	22,997	661	
GS-1224, Patent Examining Series (Engineering Specializations only)	Washington, DC SMSA	GS-5	15,947	10	19,628	409	October 1, 1980
		GS-7	17,217	5	21,771	506	#576



## IV. SOUTHEAST REGION

OCCUPATIONAL SERIES	GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE	GRADE	1ST STEP		GSS	10TH STEP		WITHIN GRADE INCREASE	EFFECTIVE DATE & TABLE NUMBER
			RATE	RATE		RATE	RATE		
GS-644, Medical Techno- logist Series	Memphis, TN	GS-5	\$14,720		7	\$18,401		409	October 1, 1980
		GS-7	16,205		3	20,759		506	#398
GS-649, Heart-Lung Machine Technician	Augusta, GA	GS-7	18,735		8	23,289		506	October 1, 1980
		GS-9	21,065		5	26,645		620	#375

## V. GREAT LAKES REGION

OCCUPATIONAL SERIES	GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE	GRADE	1ST STEP RATE	GSS	10TH STEP RATE	WITHIN GRADE INCREASE	EFFECTIVE DATE & TABLE NUMBER
GS-083, Police Series (Excluding GSA Federal Protective Officers)	Chicago, IL SMSA	GS-3	\$11,722	7	\$14,656	326	October 1, 1980
		GS-4	12,423	5	15,708	365	#013
		GS-5	13,493	4	17,174	409	
		GS-6	14,128	2	18,232	456	
GS-083, Police Series	VAMC Only, Wood (Milwaukee), WI	GS-4	14,248	10	17,533	465	October 1, 1980
		GS-5	15,129	8	18,810	409	
		GS-6	15,952	6	20,056	456	#020
		GS-7	16,711	4	21,265	506	
GS-085, Guard Series	O'Hare Airport, IL	GS-5	13,902	5	17,583	409	October 1, 1980 #015
GS-601, Nuclear Medicine Technologist	Wood (Milwaukee), WI	GS-5	14,311	6	17,992	409	October 1, 1980 #377
GS-621, Licensed Practical Nurse	Cook County (Including City of Chicago), IL	GS-3	11,722	7	14,656	326	October 1, 1980
		GS-4	12,423	5	15,708	365	#337
		GS-5	13,084	3	16,765	409	
GS-621, Licensed Practical Nurse	Allen Park, MI	GS-3	12,048	8	14,982	326	October 1, 1980
		GS-4	12,788	6	16,073	365	
		GS-5	13,493	4	17,174	409	#356
		GS-6	14,128	2	18,232	456	
GS-621, Licensed Practical Nurse	Ann Arbor, MI	GS-3	12,048	8	14,982	326	October 1, 1980
		GS-4	12,788	6	16,073	365	#357
		GS-5	13,493	4	17,174	409	
		GS-6	14,128	2	18,232	456	
GS-621, Licensed Practical Nurse	Saginaw, MI	GS-3	12,374	9	15,308	326	October 1, 1980
		GS-4	13,153	7	16,438	365	
		GS-5	13,902	5	17,583	409	#370
		GS-6	14,584	3	18,688	456	
GS-621, Licensed Practical Nurse	Minneapolis, MN	GS-3	11,070	5	14,004	326	October 1, 1980
		GS-4	11,693	3	14,978	365	#395
GS-621, Licensed Practical Nurse	Wood (Milwaukee), WI	GS-3	11,070	5	14,004	326	October 1, 1980
		GS-4	12,058	4	15,343	365	#376
		GS-5	12,675	2	16,356	409	

OCCUPATIONAL SERIES	GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE	GRADE	1ST STEP RATE	GSS	10TH STEP RATE	WITHIN GRADE INCREASE	EFFECTIVE DATE & TABLE NUMBER
GS-621, Licensed Practical Nurse	Tomah, WI	GS-3	\$10,418	3	\$13,352	326	October 1, 1980 #461
GS-633, Physical Therapist Series	Allen Park, MI	GS-6	17,776	10	21,880	456	October 1, 1980 #351
		GS-7	18,735	8	23,289	506	
		GS-9	19,825	3	25,405	620	
GS-633, Physical Therapist Series	Ann Arbor, MI	GS-6	17,776	10	21,880	456	October 1, 1980 #382
		GS-7	18,735	8	23,289	506	
		GS-9	19,825	3	25,405	620	
GS-642, Nuclear Medicine Technician Series	Wood (Milwaukee), WI	GS-4	12,058	4	15,343	365	October 1, 1980 #371
		GS-5	13,084	3	16,765	409	
		GS-6	14,128	2	18,232	456	
GS-644, Medical Technologist Series	Allen Park, MI	GS-5	14,720	7	18,401	409	October 1, 1980 #353
		GS-7	15,699	2	20,253	506	
GS-644, Medical Technologist Series	Ann Arbor, MI	GS-5	14,720	7	18,401	409	October 1, 1980 #316
		GS-7	15,699	2	20,253	506	
GS-644, Medical Technologist Series	Wood (Milwaukee), WI	GS-5	14,311	6	17,992	409	October 1, 1980 #314
GS-647, Diagnostic Radiologic Technologist Series	Cook County (Including City of Chicago), IL	GS-4	11,693	3	14,978	365	October 1, 1980 #341
		GS-5	12,675	2	16,356	409	
GS-648, Therapeutic Radiologic Technician and Therapeutic Radiologic Technologist	Wood (Milwaukee), WI	GS-5	13,493	4	17,174	409	October 1, 1980 #459
		GS-6	14,584	3	18,688	456	
		GS-7	15,699	2	20,253	506	
GS-648, Therapeutic Radiologic Technologist (Dosimetrist)	Wood (Milwaukee), WI	GS-5	15,947	10	19,628	409	October 1, 1980 #367
		GS-6	17,320	9	21,424	456	
		GS-7	18,229	7	22,783	506	
GS-648, Therapeutic Radiologic Technologist Series	Cook County (Including City of Chicago), IL	GS-4	12,058	4	15,343	365	October 1, 1980 #391
		GS-5	13,084	3	16,765	409	
		GS-6	14,128	2	18,232	456	

OCCUPATIONAL SERIES	GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE	GRADE	1ST STEP RATE	GSS	10TH STEP RATE	WITHIN GRADE INCREASE	EFFECTIVE DATE & TABLE NUMBER
GS-649, Heart-Lung Machine Technician	Indianapolis, IN	GS-5	\$14,311	6	\$17,992	409	October 1, 1980
		GS-6	15,496	5	19,600	456	#381
		GS-7	16,711	4	21,265	506	
GS-649, Inhalation Therapy Technician	Madison, WI	GS-4	12,423	5	15,708	365	October 1, 1980
		GS-5	13,493	4	17,174	409	#460
		GS-6	14,584	3	18,688	456	
GS-649, Heart-Lung Machine Technician Series	Wood (Milwaukee), WI	GS-7	19,747	10	24,301	506	October 1, 1980
		GS-8	21,314	9	26,363	561	#366
		GS-9	22,925	8	28,505	620	
GS-699, Health Technician (Ophthalmology)	Wood (Milwaukee), WI	GS-7	18,229	7	22,783	506	October 1, 1980
							#458
GS-801, General Engineer- ing Series	Ann Arbor and Detroit, MI, SMSAs	GS-5	15,947	10	19,628	409	October 1, 1980
		GS-7	19,747	10	24,301	506	
GS-819, Environmental Engineering Series		GS-9	23,545	9	29,125	620	#416
GS-830, Mechanical Engineering Series		GS-11	25,486	5	32,236	750	
GS-893, Chemical Engineering Series		GS-12	27,849	2	35,931	898	



## VI. SOUTHWEST REGION

OCCUPATIONAL SERIES	GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE	GRADE	1ST STEP RATE	GSS	10TH STEP RATE	WITHIN GRADE INCREASE	EFFECTIVE DATE & TABLE NUMBER
GS-083, Police Series	VA Medical Center, Dallas, TX	GS-4 GS-5 GS-6	\$12,788 13,902 15,040	6 5 4	\$16,073 17,583 19,144	365 409 456	October 1, 1980 #021
GS-312, Clerk Stenographer and Reporter Series	Harris County, TX excluding positions in the Public Health Service Hospital, Ellington AFB and Johnson Space Flight Center.	GS-2 GS-3 GS-4 GS-5 GS-6	10,109 11,070 12,058 13,084 14,128	6 5 4 3 2	12,710 14,004 15,343 16,765 18,232	289 326 365 409 456	October 1, 1980 #162
And all other positions with the parenthetical title (Typing) or (Stenography) classified under the Typing and Stenography Grade Evaluation Guide issued by Transmittal Sheet No. 34, January 1979.)							
GS-610, Nurse Anesthetist	New Orleans, LA	GS-9 GS-11	22,925 24,736	8 4	28,505 31,486	620 750	October 1, 1980 #369
GS-633, Physical Therapist Series	Little Rock-North Little Rock, AR SMSA	GS-6 GS-7	15,040 16,205	4 3	19,144 20,759	456 506	October 1, 1980 #450
GS-647, Diagnostic Radiologic Technologist Series	Houston, TX SMSA	GS-4 GS-5 GS-6	12,058 13,084 14,128	4 3 2	15,343 16,765 18,232	365 409 456	October 1, 1980 #393
GS-648, Therapeutic Radiologic Technologist Series							
GS-667, Orthotist and Prosthetist Series	San Antonio, TX SMSA	GS-9 GS-10	21,685 21,831	6 3	27,265 29,969	620 682	October 1, 1980 #396
GS-1712, Training Instruction Series (Orthotist/Prosthetist), limited to employees certified by the American Board for Certification for Orthotics and Prosthetics, Inc.							

## VII. MID-CONTINENT REGION

OCCUPATIONAL SERIES	GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE	GRADE	1ST STEP RATE	GSS	10TH STEP RATE	WITHIN GRADE INCREASE	EFFECTIVE DATE & TABLE NUMBER
GS-649, Inhalation Therapy Technician	Iowa City, IA	GS-4	\$14,248	10	\$17,533	365	October 1, 1980
		GS-5	15,129	8	18,810	409	
		GS-6	15,952	6	20,056	456	#452
		GS-7	16,711	4	21,265	509	
GS-682, Dental Hygiene Series	Knoxville, IA	GS-6	15,040	4	19,144	456	October 1, 1980 #462

## VIII. ROCKY MOUNTAIN REGION

OCCUPATIONAL SERIES	GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE	GRADE	1ST STEP RATE	GSS	10TH STEP RATE	WITHIN GRADE INCREASE	EFFECTIVE DATE & TABLE NUMBER
GS-085, Guard Series	Tooele Army Depot, Tooele, UT	GS-4	\$13,153	7	\$16,438	365	October 1, 1980
		GS-5	14,311	6	17,992	409	#014
		GS-6	15,040	4	19,144	456	
		GS-7	15,699	2	20,253	506	
GS-085, Guard Series	Dugway Proving Ground, UT	GS-4	13,153	7	16,438	365	October 1, 1980
		GS-5	14,311	6	17,992	408	#017
		GS-6	15,040	4	19,144	456	
		GS-7	15,699	2	20,253	506	
GS-644, Medical Technician Series	Denver, CO	GS-5	14,720	7	18,401	409	October 1, 1980
		GS-7	15,699	2	20,253	506	#387
GS-646, Histopathology Technician	Denver, CO	GS-4	11,328	2	14,613	365	October 1, 1980 #388

## IX. WESTERN REGION

OCCUPATIONAL SERIES	GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE	GRADE	1ST STEP RATE	GSS	10TH STEP RATE	WITHIN GRADE INCREASE	EFFECTIVE DATE & TABLE NUMBER
GS-312, Clerk-Stenographer and Reporter Series	San Francisco-Oakland and San Jose, CA SMSAs	GS-2	\$10,109	6	\$12,710	289	October 1, 1980
GS-316, Dictating Machine Transcribing Series		GS-3	11,070	5	14,004	326	#161
GS-318, Secretary Series		GS-4	12,058	4	15,343	365	
GS-322, Clerk-Typist Series		GS-5	13,084	3	16,765	409	
GS-356, Data Transcribing Series		GS-6	14,128	2	18,232	456	
And all other positions with the parenthetical title (Typing) or (Stenography) classified under the Typing and Stenography Grade Evaluation Guide issued by Transmittal Sheet No. 34, January 1979.							
GS-610, Nurse Series, limited to positions titled Nurse, Clinical Nurse, and Operating Nurse	San Francisco-Oakland, CA SMSA	GS-5	15,947	10	19,628	409	October 1, 1980
		GS-7	18,229	7	22,783	506	
		GS-8	18,509	4	23,558	561	#352
		GS-9	19,205	2	24,785	620	
GS-621, Licensed Vocational Nurse	Palo Alto, CA	GS-3	12,700	10	15,634	326	October 1, 1980
		GS-4	13,883	9	17,168	365	
		GS-5	14,720	7	18,401	409	#368
		GS-6	15,496	5	19,600	456	
GS-621, Licensed Vocational Nurse	San Francisco-Oakland, CA SMSA	GS-3	12,700	10	15,634	326	October 1, 1980
		GS-4	13,883	9	17,168	365	
		GS-5	14,720	7	18,401	409	#394
		GS-6	15,496	5	19,600	456	
GS-642, Nuclear Medicine Technician Series	San Francisco-Oakland and San Jose, CA SMSAs	GS-7	16,205	3	20,759	506	October 1, 1980
GS-644, Medical Technologist Series	City of Los Angeles, CA	GS-8	17,387	2	22,436	561	#362
		GS-5	15,947	10	19,628	409	October 1, 1980
		GS-7	16,711	4	21,265	506	
		GS-8	17,948	3	22,997	561	#380
		GS-9	19,205	2	24,785	620	
GS-644, Medical Technologist Series	Loma Linda, CA	GS-5	15,947	10	19,628	409	October 1, 1980
		GS-7	16,711	4	21,265	506	#389



OCCUPATIONAL SERIES	GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE	GRADE	1ST STEP RATE	GSS	10TH STEP RATE	WITHIN GRADE INCREASE	EFFECTIVE DATE & TABLE NUMBER
GS-644, Medical Technologist Series	San Francisco-Oakland San Jose, CA SMSAs	GS-7	\$18,229	7	\$22,783	506	October 1, 1980 #313
		GS-8	18,509	4	23,558	561	
		GS-9	19,205	2	24,785	620	
GS-644, Medical Technologist Series	Reno, NV	GS-5	14,720	7	18,401	409	October 1, 1980 #456
		GS-7	16,205	3	20,759	506	
GS-647, Diagnostic Radiologic Technologist Series,	Sepulveda Veterans Administration Medical Center, Los Angeles, CA	GS-4	13,518	8	16,803	365	October 1, 1980 #453
		GS-5	15,129	8	18,810	409	
		GS-6	15,952	6	20,056	456	
		GS-7	17,217	5	21,771	506	
		GS-6	16,408	7	20,512	456	
GS-647, Diagnostic Radiologic Technologist Series, limited to positions the duties of which include performing all vascular and cerebral angiographic procedures, cinecardiac catheterization procedures, air myelography, pneumoencephalography, and computerized axial tomography.	Long Beach, CA	GS-7	17,723	6	22,277	506	October 1, 1980 #455
		GS-8	18,509	4	23,558	561	
		GS-4	14,248	10	17,533	365	
GS-647, Diagnostic Radiologic Technologist Series	San Francisco-Oakland and San Jose, CA SMSAs	GS-5	15,129	8	18,810	409	October 1, 1980 #363
		GS-6	15,952	6	20,056	456	
		GS-7	16,711	4	21,265	506	
		GS-8	17,387	2	22,436	561	
GS-648, Therapeutic Radiologic Technician Series	Los Angeles-Long Beach, CA SMSA	GS-5	15,947	10	19,628	409	October 1, 1980 #454
		GS-6	16,864	8	20,968	456	
		GS-7	18,229	7	22,783	506	
		GS-8	19,070	5	24,119	561	

OCCUPATIONAL SERIES	GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE	GRADE	1ST STEP RATE	GSS	10TH STEP RATE	WITHIN GRADE INCREASE	EFFECTIVE DATE & TABLE NUMBER
GS-648, Therapeutic Radiologic Technologist	San Francisco-Oakland, CA SMSA	GS-5 GS-6 GS-7	\$15,947 17,776 19,747	10 10 10	\$19,628 21,880 24,301	409 456 506	October 1, 1980 #390
GS-649, Inhalation Therapy Technician	Long Beach, CA	GS-4 GS-5	11,693 12,675	3 2	14,978 16,356	365 409	October 1, 1980 #379
GS-649, Heart-Lung Machine Technician	San Francisco, CA	GS-9	21,685	6	27,265	620	October 1, 1980 #385
GS-660, Pharmacist Series	San Francisco, CA	GS-9	21,065	5	26,645	620	October 1, 1980 #457
GS-661, Pharmacy Technician Series	San Francisco-Oakland and San Jose, CA SMSAs	GS-3 GS-4 GS-5 GS-6	11,722 12,423 13,493 14,584	7 5 4 3	14,656 15,708 17,174 18,688	326 365 409 456	October 1, 1980 #386
GS-667, Orthotist and Prosthetist Series limited to employees certified by the American Board for Certification for Orthotics and Prosthetics, Inc.	San Francisco-Oakland, CA SMSA	GS-9 GS-10	22,305 22,513	7 4	27,885 28,651	620 682	October 1, 1980 #397
GS-682, Dental Hygiene Series	State of California	GS-5	13,084	3	16,765	409	October 1, 1980 #328
GS-1311, Physical Science Technician (radiation monitoring and control positions only)	Mare Island Naval Shipyard, CA	GS-5 GS-6 GS-7 GS-8 GS-9	14,720 15,952 17,723 18,509 19,205	7 6 6 4 2	18,401 20,056 22,277 23,558 24,785	409 456 506 561 620	October 1, 1980 #590

## X. NORTHWEST REGION

OCCUPATIONAL SERIES	GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE	GRADE	1ST STEP RATE	GSS	10TH STEP RATE	WITHIN GRADE INCREASE	EFFECTIVE DATE & TABLE NUMBER
GS-081, Fire Protection and Prevention Series	Clear Air Force Base, AK	GS-4 GS-5 GS-6 GS-7 GS-8	\$14,248 15,538 16,408 17,723 19,070	10 9 7 6 5	\$17,533 19,219 20,512 22,277 24,119	365 409 456 506 561	October 1, 1980  #011
GS-085, Guard Series	Unatilla Army Depot, OR	GS-4 GS-5 GS-6 GS-7	13,153 14,311 15,040 16,205	7 6 4 3	16,438 17,992 19,144 20,759	365 409 456 506	October 1, 1980  #019
*All Clerical Series and Certain Technical Series	Juneau, AK	GS-1 GS-2 GS-3 GS-4 GS-5	9,437 10,398 11,070 11,693 12,675	7 7 5 3 2	11,484 12,999 14,004 14,978 16,356	Varies* 289 326 365 409	October 1, 1980  #159  *See Attachment 2

\*THE FOLLOWING SERIES ARE INCLUDED IN THIS SPECIAL RATE AUTHORIZATION:

GS-072	Fingerprint Identification Series	GS-382	Telephone Operating Series
GS-132	Intelligence Aid and Clerk Series	GS-385	Teletype Series
GS-203	Personnel Clerical and Assistance Series	GS-394	Communications Clerical Series
GS-204	Military Personnel Clerical and Technician Series	GS-501	General Accounting Clerical and Administrative Series
GS-301	General Clerical and Administrative Series (The position-classification standard for this series was superseded in January 1979. Clerical and technical work previously included in this series is now included in the GS-303 Miscellaneous Clerk and Assistant Series FES standard issued January 1979.)	GS-525	Accounting Technician Series
GS-302	Messenger Series	GS-530	Cash Processing Series
GS-303	Miscellaneous Clerk and Assistant Series	GS-540	Voucher Examining Series
GS-304	Information Receptionist Series	GS-544	Payroll Series
GS-305	Mail and File Series	GS-545	Military Pay Series
GS-309	Correspondence Clerk Series	GS-547	Benefit-Payment Roll Series
GS-312	Clerk-Stenographer and Reporter Series	GS-590	Time and Leave Series
GS-313	Stenographic or Typing Unit Supervising Series	GS-963	Legal Instruments Examining Series
		GS-986	Legal Clerk and Technician Series
		GS-998	Claims Clerical Series
		GS-1001	General Arts and Information Series
		GS-1021	Office Drafting Series
		GS-1046	Clerk-Translator Series
		GS-1087	Editorial Assistance Series



GS-316 Clerk-Dictating Machine Series (The position-classification standard for this series was superseded by the FES standard for the GS-322 series in January 1979.)

GS-318 Secretary Series

GS-319 Closed Microphone Reporting Series

GS-322 Clerk-Typist Series

GS-324 Cold-Type Composing Machine Series (The position-classification standard for this series was superseded by the FES standard for the GS-322 series in January 1979.)

GS-332 Computer Operation Series

GS-335 Computer Aid and Technician Series

GS-344 Management Clerical and Assistance Series

GS-350 Equipment Operator Series

GS-351 Printing Clerical Series

GS-354 Bookkeeping Machine Operation Series

GS-355 Calculating Machine Operation Series

GS-356 Data Transcriber Series

GS-357 Coding Series

GS-359 Electric Accounting Machine Operation Series

GS-1106 Procurement Clerical and Assistance Series

GS-1107 Property Disposal Clerical and Technician Series

GS-1411 Library Technician Series

GS-1421 Archives Technician Series

GS-1531 Statistical Assistant Series

GS-1897 Customs Aid Series

GS-1899 Miscellaneous Inspection Series

GS-2001 General Supply Series

GS-2005 Supply Clerical and Technician Series

GS-2091 Sales Store Clerical Series

GS-2101 Transportation Specialist Series

GS-2131 Freight Rate Series

GS-2132 Travel Series

GS-2133 Passenger Rate Series

GS-2134 Shipment Clerical Series

GS-2151 Dispatching Series

OCCUPATIONAL SERIES	GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE	GRADE	1ST STEP		GSS	10TH STEP		WITHIN GRADE INCREASE	EFFECTIVE DATE & TABLE NUMBER	
			RATE	RATE		RATE	RATE			
GS-312, Clerk Stenographer and Reporter Series	Anchorage, AK including Elmendorf Air Force Base and Fort Richardson	GS-2	\$ 9,459	\$11,843	3			Varies*	October 1, 1980	
		GS-3	10,744	13,678	4			Varies*		
		GS-4	11,693	14,978	3			365	#160	
GS-316, Dictating Machine Transcribing Series		GS-5	12,675	16,356	2			409		
GS-318, Secretary Series										
GS-319, Closed Microphone Reporter Series										
GS-322, Clerk-Typist Series										
*See Attachment 2										
And all other positions in grades GS-2 through GS-5 with the parenthetical title of (Typing), (Stenography), or (Dictating Machine Transcribing).										

\*See Attachment 2

And all other positions in grades GS-2 through GS-5 with the parenthetical title of (Typing), (Stenography), or (Dictating Machine Transcribing).



OCCUPATIONAL SERIES	GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE	GRADE	1ST STEP RATE	GSS	10TH STEP RATE	WITHIN GRADE INCREASE	EFFECTIVE DATE & TABLE NUMBER
GS-322, Clerk-Typist Series Limited to positions where at least 50 percent of the duties involve the operation of work processing equipment. GS-313, Typing Unit Supervisors, limited to positions supervising work processing units.	Army Corps of Engineers, Federal Center South Seattle, Washington	GS-2 GS-3 GS-4 GS-5 GS-6	\$10,398 11,396 13,518 14,720 15,496	7 6 8 7 5	\$12,999 14,330 16,803 18,401 19,600	289 326 365 409 456	October 1, 1980  #163
GS-382, Telephone Operating Series	Fairbanks and Ft. Wainwright, AK	GS-2 GS-3	9,712 10,092	4 2	12,132 13,026	Varies* 326	October 1, 1980 #158
GS-510, Accounting Series	State of Alaska	GS-5	14,311	6	17,992	409	October 1, 1980
GS-512, Internal Revenue Agent Series		GS-7	16,205	3	20,759	506	#262
GS-610, Nurse Series	Anchorage, Alaska,	GS-4	13,518	8	16,803	365	October 1, 1980
GS-644, Medical Technologist Series	Including Elmendorf Air Force Base and Ft. Richardson and all Alaska Area Native Health Service facilities in the State of Alaska	GS-5 GS-7 GS-8	15,129 16,205 17,387	8 3 2	18,810 20,759 22,436	409 506 561	#373
GS-621, Licensed Practical Nurse	Portland, OR	GS-3 GS-4 GS-5	11,396 11,693 12,675	6 3 2	14,330 14,978 16,356	326 365 409	October 1, 1980 #399

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OCCUPATIONAL SERIES	GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE	GRADE	1ST STEP RATE	GSS	10TH STEP RATE	WITHIN GRADE INCREASE	EFFECTIVE DATE & TABLE NUMBER
GS-621, Nursing Assistant Series	Anchorage, Alaska, including Elmendorf	GS-1	\$ 9,437	7	\$11,484	255	October 1, 1980
GS-622, Medical Aid	Air Force Base and Ft. Richardson, and all Alaska Area Native Health Service facilities in the State of Alaska.	GS-2	10,109	6	12,710	289	#374
(Sterile Supplies Series		GS-3	11,070	5	14,004	326	
GS-636, Rehabilitation Therapy Assistant Series		GS-4	12,058	4	15,343	365	
GS-645, Medical Technician Series		GS-5	12,675	2	16,356	409	
GS-646, Pathology Technician Series							
GS-647, Medical Radiology Technician Series							
GS-649, Medical Machine Technician Series							
GS-661, Pharmacy Technician Series							
GS-681, Dental Assistant Series							
GS-698, Environmental Health Technician Series							
GS-699, Health Aid and Technician Series							
GS-649, Inhalation Therapy Technician	Seattle, WA	GS-4	12,058	4	15,343	365	October 1, 1980
		GS-5	13,493	4	17,174	409	
		GS-6	15,496	5	19,600	456	#451
		GS-7	16,711	4	21,265	506	
		GS-8	17,387	2	22,436	561	

## XI. NATIONWIDE AND WORLDWIDE AUTHORIZATIONS

OCCUPATIONAL SERIES	GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE	GRADE	1ST STEP RATE	GSS	10TH STEP RATE	WITHIN GRADE INCREASE	EFFECTIVE DATE & TABLE NUMBER
GS-602, Medical Officer Series	Worldwide	GS-11	\$29,236	10	\$35,986	750	October 1, 1980
		GS-12	35,033	10	43,115	898	
		GS-13	41,660	10	51,272*	1,068	#290
		GS-14	46,705	8	58,063*	1,262	
		GS-15	50,487	5	63,852*	1,485	
*The rate payable to employees at these rates is limited to 50,112.50.							
GS-701, Veterinary Medical Science Series	Worldwide	GS-9	21,065	5	26,645	620	October 1, 1980 #400
GS-800, All Professional Series in the Engineering and Architecture Group, except GS-880 and GS-881 (Thus, this authorization covers GS-801, 803, 804, 806, 807, 808, 810, 819, 830, 840, 850, 855, 858, 861, 871, 890, 892, 893, 894, and 896)	Nationwide,* except where other authorizations for covered series apply	GS-5	15,947	10	19,628	409	October 1, 1980
		GS-7	19,747	10	24,301	506	
		GS-9	22,925	8	28,505	620	#414
		GS-11	24,736	4	31,486	750	
GS-880, Mining Engineering Series	Nationwide*	GS-5	15,947	10	19,628	409	October 1, 1980
		GS-7	19,747	10	24,301	506	
		GS-9	24,165	10	29,745	620	#417
		GS-11	26,236	6	32,986	750	
		GS-12	29,645	4	37,727	898	
		GS-13	33,116	2	42,728	1,068	
GS-881, Petroleum Engineering Series	Nationwide*	GS-5	15,947	10	19,628	409	October 1, 1980
		GS-7	19,747	10	24,301	506	
		GS-9	24,165	10	29,745	620	#415
		GS-11	29,236	10	35,986	750	
		GS-12	32,339	7	40,421	898	
		GS-13	36,320	5	45,932	1,068	
		GS-14	39,133	2	50,491	1,262	

OCCUPATIONAL SERIES	GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE	GRADE	1ST STEP RATE	GSS	10TH STEP RATE	WITHIN GRADE INCREASE	EFFECTIVE DATE & TABLE NUMBER
GS-1321, Metallurgy Series	Nationwide*	GS-5	\$15,947	10	\$19,628	409	October 1, 1980
		GS-7	19,747	10	24,301	506	
		GS-9	22,305	7	27,885	620	#589
		GS-11	24,736	4	31,486	750	
GS-1654, Printing Management Series (limited to employees who have at least a Baccalaureate Degree with a major in Printing Management)	Nationwide*	GS-5	14,311	6	17,992	409	October 1, 1980 #725
GS-1822, Coal Mine Inspection Series	Nationwide*	GS-9	22,305	7	27,885	620	October 1, 1980
GS-1899, Surface Mine Inspector (Coal)		GS-11	23,986	3	30,736	750	#778

\*When used, "Nationwide" geographic coverage includes the area specified in Section 591.202 of OPM's Regulations.



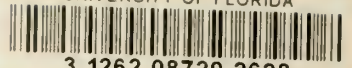
GRADE	STATUTORY RANGE <i>(Effective the first day of the first pay period beginning on or after October 1, 1980)</i>										EXTENDED RANGE FOR SPECIAL RATES										Within-Grade Increases	GRADE
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19			
GS-1	\$7,960	\$8,225	\$8,630	\$8,755	\$9,320	\$9,175	\$9,437	\$9,699	\$9,712	\$9,954	\$10,209	\$10,464	\$10,719	\$10,974	\$11,229	\$11,484	\$11,739	\$11,994	\$12,249	VAR	GS-1	
GS-2	8,357	9,153	9,459	9,712	9,820	10,109	10,398	10,687	10,976	11,265	11,554	11,843	12,132	12,421	12,710	12,999	13,288	13,577	13,866	VAR	GS-2	
GS-3	9,766	10,097	10,412	10,744	11,076	11,396	11,722	12,048	12,374	12,700	13,026	13,352	13,678	14,004	14,330	14,656	14,982	15,308	15,634	\$326	GS-3	
GS-4	10,963	11,328	11,693	12,058	12,423	12,788	13,153	13,518	13,883	14,248	14,613	14,978	15,343	15,708	16,073	16,438	16,803	17,168	17,533	365	GS-4	
GS-5	12,266	12,675	13,084	13,493	13,902	14,311	14,720	15,129	15,538	15,947	16,356	16,765	17,174	17,583	17,992	18,401	18,810	19,219	19,628	409	GS-5	
GS-6	13,672	14,128	14,584	15,040	15,496	15,952	16,408	16,864	17,320	17,776	18,232	18,688	19,144	19,600	20,056	20,512	20,968	21,424	21,880	456	GS-6	
GS-7	15,193	15,699	16,205	16,711	17,217	17,723	18,229	18,735	19,241	19,747	20,253	20,759	21,265	21,771	22,277	22,783	23,289	23,795	24,301	506	GS-7	
GS-8	16,826	17,387	17,948	18,509	19,070	19,631	20,192	20,753	21,314	21,875	22,436	22,997	23,558	24,119	24,680	25,241	25,802	26,363	26,924	561	GS-8	
GS-9	18,585	19,205	19,825	20,445	21,065	21,685	22,305	22,925	23,545	24,165	24,785	25,405	26,025	26,645	27,265	27,885	28,505	29,125	29,745	620	GS-9	
GS-10	20,467	21,149	21,831	22,513	23,195	23,877	24,559	25,241	25,923	26,605	27,287	27,969	28,651	29,333	30,015	30,697	31,379	32,061	32,743	682	GS-10	
GS-11	22,486	23,236	23,986	24,736	25,486	26,236	26,986	27,736	28,486	29,236	29,986	30,736	31,486	32,236	32,986	33,736	34,486	35,236	35,986	750	GS-11	
GS-12	26,951	27,849	28,747	29,645	30,543	31,441	32,339	33,237	34,135	35,033	35,931	36,829	37,727	38,625	39,523	40,421	41,319	42,217	43,115	898	GS-12	
GS-13	32,048	33,116	34,184	35,252	36,320	37,388	38,456	39,524	40,592	41,660	42,728	43,796	44,864	45,932	47,000	48,068	49,136	50,204*	51,272*	1,068	GS-13	
GS-14	37,871	39,133	40,395	41,657	42,919	44,181	45,443	46,705	47,967	49,229	50,491*	51,753*	53,015*	54,277*	55,539*	56,801*	58,063*	59,325*	60,587*	1,262	GS-14	
GS-15	44,547	46,032	47,517	49,002	50,487*	51,972*	53,457*	54,942*	56,427*	57,912*	59,397*	60,882*	62,367*	63,852*	65,337*	66,822*	68,307*	69,792*	71,277*	1,485	GS-15	

\*Employees at these rates may actually be paid only \$50,112.50





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